

The world looks brighter. The pessimism that prevailed last week and the week before is fast disappearing. 1922 promises many good things for those who go after them!

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PICKLE PLANT IS THOUGHT CERTAIN AS ADA INDUSTRY

Iowa Manager Now Seeks Facts On Location; Light and Water.

C. OF C. PROVIDES SITE

Atkinson Announces His Intention of Opening Plant Alone.

That a pickle plant will be established at Ada within the next few months is the belief of O. N. Walker, secretary of the Chamber of Commerce. The following letter from J. H. Atkinson of Brighton, Iowa, explains it:

Brighton, Ia., Jan. 13, 1922.
Mr. Newton Walker,
Ada, Okla.

Dear Sir:
I have not heard your opinion of Oklahoma pickles Iowa made. The pickles first made are now excellent and I see no reason why they cannot be handled successfully. I have another lot of several gallons in the priming vinegar and they are also in good shape.

I am now in a position to come to Ada and start a pickle business of my own, if suitable arrangements can be made as to acreage, location, water, lights and power.

I would start the factory alone as I have satisfied myself that the raw material is right.

Sincerely yours,
J. H. ATKINSON.

Site Is Provided.

The Chamber of Commerce has already provided a site, can assure the acreage and other satisfactory arrangements. Mr. Atkinson is expected to be in Ada within the next fortnight and make final arrangements for the location and building for the factory.

The Chamber of Commerce, under the direction of Mr. Walker, has been in touch with the pickle man for several months. Last summer cucumbers from several farms were put in salt brine here and later shipped to Mr. Atkinson at Brighton, Iowa, with the above results.

Mr. Atkinson is a man of many years experience. Before going into the pickle business, he was a college professor of chemistry.

LEAGUE BATTLES DRAWING TO END AFTER TONIGHT

City league teams will go in for a double header tonight at the college gym. The Ada News team, which lost a hard game to the Tishomingo American Legion team there Saturday night, is playing the Teachers College while the Business College and Cement Plant mix things. A radical change in the standing of the teams is expected to be the result of tonight's contest.

While the News team has been weakened by the loss of several good men, the Business College reports a reinforcement. The Cement Plant is using its same line-up and expects to see players in better form tonight. The Teachers speak for themselves, following their sensational victory Saturday night over the O. B. U. quintet. A thriller is expected tonight in the Business College-Cement Plant game, both teams having favorable dope.

The game will start at 7:30 and playing will be in 15 minute halves. Those attending will be given an hour's entertainment. Wilson will referee. It is reported that several new men will appear tonight and every team concerned is preparing to make the most of the contests.

Standing of the Teams		
Team	W	L
Teachers	6	0
Battery F	4	2
High School	2	4
Ada News	2	4
Business College	2	4
Cement Plant	2	4

AIRING EUROPEAN FINANCES IS ASKED BY SENATE

WASHINGTON, Jan. 16.—Senator McCormick, of Illinois, today introduced and the senate a half hour later adopted a resolution calling upon the state department to supply such information as it has on the financial affairs of European governments. The resolution asks especially for data on the expenditures of these governments for military purposes.

Try a News Want Ad for results.

NOTICE MASONS
Ada Lodge No. 119, A. F. & A. M. will meet this evening at 7:30 o'clock for the purpose of work in the Fellowcraft Degree. Officers urged to be present. Visitors are welcome. — F. R. Laird, W. M.

BEBEE-BYNG PIPE LINE IS SOUGHT BY ADA COMPANY

Installing a pipe line from the Bebee oil field to the Katy railway station at Byng, six miles distant, is the aim of the Ada Pipe Line company of this city which has applied to the state issues commission for a permit to sell stock, the proceeds of which will be used to install the line, according to a report made public here today.

Capital stock of the company, which is incorporated, is \$40,000 and par value of shares is \$25. A. J. Walker of Francis, formerly a conservation agent of the government in the Healdton field, is president. C. V. Gowing is vice president, and W. M. Pegg, secretary-treasurer.

It is set forth in the application that wells of the Bebee field are now producing about 100 barrels daily and that production soon will be increased, when offset wells reach pay sand. The company expects to install a loading dock at Byng and later to extend the line to Ada, a distance of six miles. Transportation for crude oil is available over three lines here.

EAST CENTRAL IS VICTOR AT HOME

Oklahoma Baptist Cagers Fall Before Onslaught of Local Collegians.

Coach Thompson's men made the most of a roughing deal in the basketball game here Saturday night with Oklahoma Baptist University, overtaking an 8-point lead and winning the game by two points. This was the best and hardest fought game played on the local court this season. It was also the first conference game played here by the Teachers College and the second league victory for Thompson's men.

Little and Waner were best scoring men for the home team while Clarkson lead for the visitors. Beck also played a good game for Shawnee and took three field goals in first half. It was his playing that in the first 10 minutes enabled the Baptists to get a lead of 8 points on Ada. The first half ended with the visitors leading 16 to 13. Only one foul had been called on the Ada team while seven had been called on the visitors.

In the last half Thompson gave his men the high sign and the keen offensive opened. Newton, Ada forward, was put out in the last few minutes of the first half on account of injuries, but later re-entered the game, putting up a good fight. Evans was in better form than he had ever before shown on the home court and it was due largely to his fighting that the Baptists were prevented from making a heavier score. Chism formed the other half of the college defense.

Shawnee Offense Strong.

Defense work of the local squad was outdone by the running offense of Grove's men. Goal shooting by Shawnee fell short repeatedly. On the other hand, Ada was forced to take advantage of every opportunity and made all chances count. The score was tied with only two minutes to play. Little then tossed a good one from short range, which gave his team a lead of two points. A series of dual contests over the ball killed the remaining time. Teachers (22) Pos. Baptists (20) Newton LF Beck Waner RF Hooper Little C Clarkson Evans LG Randels Chism RG Hays

Substitutions: Ada, Snow for Newton; Shawnee, McKeown for Beck.

Field goals, Newton, 1, Waner 4, Little 4, Beck 3, Hooper 2, Clarkson 4; goals from the line, Little 3 out of 5 trials, Waner 1 out of 2 trials; Hooper 2 out of 9 trials. Personal fouls, Baptists 6, Ada 5; technical fouls, Baptists 4; Ada 1. Frost of Holdenville, referee. Time, 20 minutes halves, with 10 minute interval. Five minutes taken out by each team on account of injuries to men.

FOREIGN TREATY RULED SUPERIOR TO STATE'S LAW

WASHINGTON, Jan. 16.—A treaty with foreign nations supercedes a state statute relating to the holding of real estate, the supreme court today held in effect, refusing to consider an appeal which H. F. Herrick sought to bring from the supreme court of California against A. Basletta, an Italian. The state court held that California law prohibiting an Italian from holding property in the state was invalid because it conflicted with the treaty of 1857 with Italy.

Fire Threatens Healdton.

ARDMORE, Jan. 16.—Two buildings completely destroyed, a third one damaged and one fireman in the hospital with a broken leg are the results of a fire that threatened the business section of Healdton late Sunday evening. Loss of property is placed approximately at \$37,000.

Burch, on trial for Murder, Fails In Desperate Attempt to End His Life



Scene of Arthur Burch's vain attempt to kill himself. Arrow points to railing adjacent to "Bridge of Sighs" at Los Angeles county jail where Burch tried to elude his guard and jump. Cross indicates floor below, a drop of fifty feet, where Burch would have landed, maiming or killing himself. At left is Mrs. Elizabeth Bessanty, photographed at the trial.

One of the most sensational events in the trial in Los Angeles, Cal., of Arthur C. Burch on the charge of slaying J. Belton Kennedy near Kennedy's hunting lodge in Beverly Hills, was Burch's attempt to commit suicide while being led from the courtroom to his cell. Burch attempted to throw off his guards, leap over a railing and drop to the iron-covered main floor of the jail, fifty feet below. He would have been maimed, if not killed, by such a fall. Mrs. Elizabeth Bessanty, who lived with her husband and children in Beverly Glen, next to the Kennedy hunting lodge, proved a strong witness for the state in the trial. Rigid cross-examining failed to shake her testimony as to events at the time of the murder. Burch was charged jointly with Madeyan Obenchain, divorcee and intimate friend of Kennedy, with slaying Kennedy.

Car Owners Allowed Until Feb. 1 To Get 1922 Tags Is Rule

J. I. Laughlin, chairman of the board of county commissioners has returned from Oklahoma City where he was looking after the interest of the county. He states that the State Highway Department informed him car owners will be permitted to go without the licenses during the month of January. Application for license must be made by February 1, however, or the owner will be subjected to a fine.

While in the city Mr. Laughlin examined the new concrete road constructed near Oklahoma City. He says it is the finest stretch of road he ever saw, but the cost was very high.

FLOYD ACCEPTS POSITION AS DEPUTY COUNTY CLERK

C. W. Floyd, who was with Simpson's Inc., last year, has accepted a position as deputy county clerk under R. T. Erwin. He will enter upon his new duties immediately.

Few people in the county are better known than Mr. Floyd. He has lived in this section many years. His friends say he will make an efficient officer in his new place and that Mr. Erwin's force has been considerably strengthened.

PROMOTIONS MAKE ROOM FOR TRAINING STUDENTS

Owing to the fact that midyear promotion has taken eight or nine students out of the eighth grade in the Training School, there are several vacancies which can be filled. Dr. A. Linscheid, president, announced Monday.

Any student who has completed the first half of the eighth year in common school may enter the Training School upon application. Students enrolled in the public schools who desire to apply for these vacancies must bring with them certificates of honorable dismissal from the school which they are now attending.

Neglect Driving War Veterans Insane

(By the Associated Press)

WASHINGTON, Jan. 16.—Asserting that more than 3,500 men disabled former service men now placed in state institutions were victims of such "gross neglect, indifference and lack of protection" as to constitute a "black reproach on the honor of the nation," the disabled American veterans of the world war, in a memorial presented today to President Harding, urged immediate action by the government looking to the treatment of all such cases in federal institutions.

Neglect of these cases in state institutions, the memorial said, is committing to permanent insanity many of the victims who by timely treatment probably would be cured.

Describing the condition of contract cases of this class in the institutions of the state of Ohio as "typical of those in practically every state," the memorial asserted that the government "had farmed out the ex-service men of Ohio to state asylums which are notoriously overcrowded, under-manned and inadequate to treat and care for them," while it has not provided one federal institution for this purpose in the state.

"For example," the memorial said, "in the Longview asylum of Hamilton county, Ohio, there are four American soldiers who broke down mentally under the stress of war. This asylum already is so overcrowded that 240 of the inmates sleep on the floor like cattle every night."

No Medical Treatment.

Of the 250 men who have been placed in institutions of the state, of whom, it was said, physicians believe many might have been cured by treatment. Not one the memorial asserted, has received "medical treatment of any kind and many curable cases are being daily doomed to permanent insanity."

None of the institutions, it was further asserted, segregated their tubercular patients.

An average profit of \$300 on each patient out the \$545.50 annual maintenance fee paid by the government, was shown in figures from the nine Ohio institutions cited in the memorial. These records have been made public by Dr. H. S. MacNeal, director of the state health department.

SEARLANE LOST NEAR COAST OF FLORIDA TODAY

(By the Associated Press)
WASHINGTON, Jan. 16.—The commercial seaplane New York, reported lost off the east coast of Florida, has arrived at the island of Bimini, south of the Bahamas, according to a report received by the navy department.

Plane to Investigate.

MIAMI, Fla., Jan. 16.—An airplane was dispatched today to Bimini to investigate a wireless report that a flying boat of the description of the passenger flyer New York has been found on the shore of that island. The New York had not been heard from since she left Friday afternoon for Bimini with five passengers aboard. The trip normally occupies but little more than an hour.

The wireless message, relayed to a station here by a British cruiser, said the passengers were saved.

Marriage License.
Elmer Tabor, 22, Sulphur Springs, Texas, and Miss Carmen Rhodes, 19, Roff.

WILSON FUND TO OPEN TOMORROW

Brady Names Ada Officials and Opens Both For Collecting Quota.

An appeal to the citizens of Pontotoc county to donate to the Woodrow Wilson Foundation was made today by Leonard A. Brady, county chairman. Mr. Brady was appointed chairman at a late hour and the campaign for funds will not start until Tuesday morning.

The Woodrow Wilson Foundation is to be a fund of a million dollars the interest from which is to be used in furthering the ideals and ideas of the former president. The fund will be handled by a board of governors or trustees.

In a statement this morning, Mr. Brady said:

"At the eleventh hour I have been requested and accepted the responsibility of county chairman of the Woodrow Wilson Foundation. I accepted this with the full knowledge of the financial distress which is now prevailing in this community believing it a noble and worthy cause and a tribute, we owe to a great leader who has directed our pathway out and beyond a sordid, selfish philosophy.

"If, with the assistance of the loyal admirers of the statesman without a peer, I am able to raise the quota of \$750 assigned to Pontotoc County, I shall be happy; if out of their want and financial distress a grateful people show their appreciation of the efforts of a master champion of an ideal, we shall contribute twice our quota; I shall be thrice happy of the opportunity of rendering this service.

"Woodrow Wilson can rest assured that the task begun by him will be carried on through the years. It is highly fitting that this Foundation bears his name because it makes appeal to that ever growing body of citizens, who, above and beyond party prejudice, are coming to the recognition of Woodrow Wilson as the Great American who advocated the Golden Rule in the relationship between peoples. This is the purpose of this Foundation.

"Every unbiased American will feel a noble impulse and desire to give; any loyal and true democrat will not have peace of mind and tranquility of soul until he has contributed."

Receiving booths, in charge of official collectors, will be found at the following places:

First National Bank—Mrs. Robert Wimbush.

M. and P. Bank—Mrs. A. Linscheid.

Oklahoma State Bank—Mrs. C. A. Galbraith.

Security State Bank—Mrs. Charles A. Zorn.

Postoffice—Mrs. M. M. Webster.

Harris Hotel—Mrs. Tom D. McKeown.

Teachers College—Hugh Norris and Miss Kate Knight.

High School—Miss Abbie Horn.

J. F. WELDON WINS AT HOLDENVILLE POULTRY SHOW

J. F. Weldon reports the following winning with his White Wyandottes at the Holdenville poultry show last week: 2 and 3 cock; 1, 2, and 3 cockerel; 2 and 3 hen, 1, 2, and 3 pullet, 2 old pen and 2 display.

Mr. Weldon reports that about 400 birds of different breeds were on exhibit and that competition was keen in every line.

Women Start New Party.

(By the Associated Press)
SPRINGFIELD, Ill., Jan. 16.—A new political party to be called the "Roosevelt Progressive Party" and run entirely by women, filed incorporation papers today. The incorporators are Chicago and Oak Park women.

FUNDING BILL ON DEBTS OF ALLIES GETS APPROVED

Senate Committee Gives Assent To Plan After It Is Trimmed.

DEMOCRATS COUNTER

Life of Foreign Bonds Is Limited To 25 Years After Hot Debate.

(By the Associated Press)

WASHINGTON, Jan. 16.—The allied debt funding bill was approved today by the senate finance committee, after most of the provisions objected to by secretary Mellon of the treasury department had been eliminated. Democratic members of the committee voted against the bill in its perfected form.

Provisions in previous re-writing by the committee which were stricken out called for a semi-annual payment for an interest of not less than 5 per cent. These were the provisions against which the treasury objected on the ground that they would handicap the administration in the refunding negotiations with the foreign governments. Under those provisions, interest payments would have been due within six months after the refunding bond had been negotiated, whereas the treasury desired to have authority to defer interests payments in the case of some countries not in a position to begin making those payments within possibly a year or two.

One Provision Remains.

The provision limiting the life of the bonds to accepted from the foreign governments to twenty-five years remained in the bill but the measure is practically as approved by the house. It sets up a committee with authority subject to the approval of the president on any obligations of any foreign government now owing the United States on account of the world war. The secretary of the treasury would be chairman of the commission and the other members would be appointed by the president subject to approval by the senate.

JEWISH RELIEF DRIVE WILL BE FREE WILL KIND

A personal appeal through public city was selected this morning as a method for conducting the Jewish Relief drive in the tenth district, comprising Pontotoc and Hughes county, by Sam Schienberg, district chairman.

Following is the proclamation that has been issued by Governor Robertson:

"To the People of Oklahoma: The world has not yet recovered from the ravages caused by the Great War. Even here in America we still feel the effects of that great conflict. How terrible, then, must be the condition of the peoples of Europe. And among these, none has suffered more than the Jewish people. Starvation, looting, massacre and worse have been their portion now for seven years. Seven years, the Jews of America have kept the spark of life in the bodies of their suffering European brethren; today the task has become too great for them to bear alone, therefore,

Whereas, the American Jewish Relief Committee for sufferers from the war has found that the absolute minimum that will keep their brethren alive during the coming year is \$14,000,000, of which sum Oklahoma's quota is \$125,000.

"Now, therefore, I, J. B. A. Robertson, governor of the state of Oklahoma, hereby earnestly commend to the people of Oklahoma this work in behalf of the suffering and designate January 16 to 22, 1922, as Jewish War Relief Days.

"In testimony whereof, I have hereunto set my hand and caused to be affixed the great seal of the state of Oklahoma, at the capital in Oklahoma City.

"J. B. A. Robertson, governor."

Discussing today the local drive, Mr. Schienberg said in part:

"Understanding so well the poor business conditions in Pontotoc county, it has taken me several weeks to decide the advisability of accepting the chairmanship of the tenth district, for the National Jewish Relief drive for \$14,000,000 for war sufferers in Europe.

"I have made a thorough study of the terrible conditions over there. I simply cannot refuse to do all I can for them.

"Our own condition in Pontotoc county does not warrant a big drive as we have done in the past to meet these emergencies. I appreciate the fact that a personal canvass would cause many of my friends to 'dig down' for as much or more than they should, while others would like to give but can't due to adverse business conditions this past year."

Let a News Want Ad get it.

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BIBLE THOUGHT FOR TODAY
A GOOD NAME THE BEST ASSET:—A good name is rather to be chosen than great riches, and loving favour rather than silver and gold.—Proverbs 22:1.

FORDS NEW IDEA.

Henry Ford has a new idea about government finance. The government spent many millions of dollars developing a gigantic nitrate plant at Muscle Shoals, Alabama, during the war, but when peace came sooner than had been thought possible, the work was stopped. Ford has offered to take it over provided the government spends another \$30,000,000 towards completing the plant. He suggests that instead of issuing bonds to cover this expenditure, currency to the amount named be issued with the plant itself as security. These notes will bear no interest and will be taken up and retired from the returns of the plant. Ford suggests that the new currency will circulate the same as other forms issued by the government and an immense sum in the way of interest will be saved. After all, bonds are based on the good faith of the government, while these notes would have not only the good faith of the government behind them but also the plant which has already cost many times the amount of the notes. Under the present laws national banks may issue notes secured by certain classes of government bonds which in turn are based on the honesty and belief of the people in the solvency of the government. For that matter some two or three hundred millions of the currency now in circulation have no other foundation than the promise of the government to pay on demand. Ford does not advocate fiat money, for any thinking man knows that a promise to pay is worth nothing unless said promise is faithfully kept, but he argues that the natural wealth of the country, plus the good faith of the government, is the best possible security for any issuance of currency. The point in Ford's suggestion is to avoid the payment of interest by basing the circulating medium on some tangible asset of natural wealth like Muscle Shoals.

The time has arrived when this country must have larger and larger quantities of fertilizer. Heretofore we have been almost entirely dependent on Chili for nitrates which form the most important part of fertilizer. The Germans, however, devised a method of extracting nitrogen from the air. This is what the Muscle Shoal plant was intended to do. Although it is not needed for purposes of warfare, it is worse needed for agricultural purposes, hence the necessity of completing plant and putting it into operation. Ford's reputation as a man who can put things over has created a great deal of sentiment in favor of turning the plant over to him and letting him show what he can do in the way of producing a cheap fertilizer for the farmers of the nation, whether his currency plan is adopted or rejected.

NEWSPAPER ETHICS.

A committee of Texas newspaper men are working on a code of newspaper ethics which will be submitted to the press members in the near future. Really that is a move of quite a little importance. In times past there were too many incompetents occupying the editorial tripods, men who had no idea of the meaning of the word "ethics". Their chief aim in life was to tear down their competitors and this they did to a finish, generally carrying themselves down in the ruin they caused. Now that the profession is on a higher plane and still improving, there should be some sort of standard of ethics for the fraternity, by which the reputable newspaper men would be guided because it is right and the others because of the force of opinion of the better element. The time has past when a newspaper can devote its time and space to tearing down and vilifying its competitors. Reputable editors, as never before, recognize the fact that they owe the public certain duties regardless of the personal feelings of the editors themselves. Certainly the Texas men are on the right track and it is to be hoped that their idea will spread.

Luther Harrison states that last fall a good subscriber wanted to stop his paper because he had not published an auditor's report of Hughes county finances. Later two others came in to stop their papers because it was published. There is nothing new about this sort of thing, but it will be noted that the Holdenville Democrat is doing business at the old stand. If those guys did cancel their subscriptions it is a safe bet that they are still reading the Democrat regularly, only they are now reading borrowed copies.

If it could be circulated fast enough, one dollar would in time pay all the debts in the world. It is when passing it around the circle stops that the rub comes. A dollar in an old teapot or sock does no one any good.

England and Ireland may not have buried the shillelagh entirely, but at least it looks as if they were going to club together.

The prohibition commissioner has asked enforcement agents around the country to be less communicative. Wants the dry agents to dry up, so to speak.

ALL THE GOLD RESERVE OF U. S. COULDN'T BUY WHAT THIS MEANS IN MEASURE OF HAPPINESS



The Forum of the Press

They Have Their Reward.

(Holdenville Democrat)

Within the past three weeks two of America's most prominent men have passed away from earth. One was a private citizen, free from the honors and cares of public office, who had spent his life in the interest of the American people and in the advocacy of the principles that make our country great. The other had been an official from his earliest manhood and for more than a quarter of a century had been among the dominant figures of the American senate.

When the private citizen passed away his death was mentioned in every journal between the seas. Uncounted columns were filled with heartfelt tributes to the man who had lived and died an upstanding, fearless, and virile American. No death since that of Mr. Roosevelt has drawn so many editorial eulogies as that of Henry Watterson of Kentucky.

But when the commander-in-chief of the American senate gave up his lease on life the American press was strangely silent. They merely mentioned that a dominant senator had passed away. No word of praise appeared on any editorial page when the man who dictated the nomination of Warren G. Harding from a sick bed in Philadelphia met the pale messenger with the inverted torch. He died without a eulogy and was buried without a tear. America loved Henry Watterson because he loved and served America. America failed to love Boies Penrose because he failed to love and serve America. He dedicated his masterly abilities to the device of insolent wealth and when he came to die he had already collected his retainers. He did not covet the affections of his countrymen and no heart was saddened when he ceased to live. He is already forgotten by many people and those he served have already hired a man in his stead.

The Wife May Rob.

(Lawton Constitution)

A Massachusetts judge ruled recently that it is lawful for a wife to take money from her husband's pockets. In support of this ruling he imposed a fine and sentence for assault upon a husband who had dealt roughly with his wife for exercising his ancient feminine prerogative. Unfortunately there are many households where improperly adjusted family finances will make this a matter of personal importance, according to The McAlester News Capital.

In the right sort of home a wife does not need to pick her husband's pockets for necessary expenditures, nor does she do so for pin money. It is acknowledged that each shares equally in the responsibility and labor of making the home and therefore each is equally entitled to decision as to disbursement of the family income. The whole matter is talked over freely and decided sensibly. Provision is made for the essential expenses of the household and the disposal of any remaining funds is a matter of mutual agreement.

The number of such homes increases from year to year as the race progresses in understanding and as women come more in contact with business life, but incidents like the one quoted above show there is still need of education.

Here's a page from an old diary:

"Sept. 18, 1873—Jay Cooke & Co., bankers of New York, fail. A financial panic is precipitated. The New York clearing house is forced to suspend. The presidents of the banks meet in council to devise ways of relief. President Grant declines to accede to the bankers' request to aid the banks with the treasury balance of \$44,000,444. Runs are made on banks and private bankers, and many strong houses fail during the ensuing ten days." Americans lately have been talking about business depression. Compared with some of the old-time panics, sludding is easy. Get Grandpa to tell you about 1873. Then you'll appreciate the federal reserve banking system, the shock absorber.—Shreveport Times.

Political Announcements City of Ada

The News is authorized to announce the following as candidates for the respective offices of the city of Ada, subject to the primary election:

FOR MAYOR—
W. H. FISHER
W. T. MELTON

For Commissioner of Public Works and Property:
J. D. FAUST,
E. W. WALKER
HENRY KROTH

For Commissioner of Accounting and Finance:
CHARLEY DEAYER

STATE OFFICES
FOR DISTRICT JUDGE:
WAYNE WADLINGTON

COUNTY OFFICES
For County Superintendent:
F. E. GRAY

For County Weigher:
J. M. (JIM) BYRD

For Sheriff:
JOE E. SEAN

Bill McDowell, assistant cashier of the Merchants and Planters National bank, is spending two months in Colorado on business.

PEOPLE OF OUR TOWN



The Booster is the Town's most useful citizen, because he Unselfishly Supports every movement to Better the Town and make it a Better Place to Live. Everyone answering the above Description is a Bonafide Booster. For the Number of Boosters in Our Town, see the last Census Report.

Repair Shop To Mend Broken Locomotives Of Mexican System

EL PASO, Tex., Jan. 16.—Plans for the inauguration of a large repair shop at some point on the border, to put into condition the hundreds of disabled Mexican locomotives are being pushed by Ramon P. de Negri, director general of Mexican railroads, according to his announcement here. He says the plans are almost complete.

The shops would employ 500 American machinists to do the skilled labor and from 500 to 1,000 helpers and common laborers, at a conservative estimate.

American machinists would be furnished by the international association of machinists and would reside on the American side of the border.

J. W. Kelly, international representative of the machinists, who has just returned from Mexico City is a close friend of Mr. de Negri and has had several conferences with him regarding the shops, he said.

Juarez is looked upon as the most favorable point for the shops on account of climatic conditions and railroad facilities through El Paso.

The average monthly payroll for 500 machinists and helpers at their present scale would be almost \$100,000 a month, officials said.

Mr. Kelly organized five Mexican locals of machinists, with a total membership of 4000 he said. Three other locals now are being formed.

President Oregon and Mr. de Negri are members of the International Association of Machinists, and the president is a practical machinist, Mr. Kelly said.

Try a News Want Ad for results.

More than \$100,000,000 was spent by the American people for toys and games during 1921, according to reports from New York. The value of America's toy manufactures has more than tripled since the war cut off the supply from Germany.

World's Standard Cold Remedy for Two Generations
Hill's Cough Syrup
The Man, the Plan, and the Cure
Hill's Cough Syrup, the product, have saved the best for over 20 years.
Always reliable for Coughs and La Grippe.
At Drugists—All W. B. Hill Co., Detroit

VITAMINES
are an essential factor in promoting healthful growth
Scott's Emulsion
is far richer in the fat soluble A vitamin than cream. It aids growth—builds health!
AT ALL DRUG STORES
PRICE, \$1.20 and 60c.
Scott & Bowne, Bloomfield, N. J.
ALSO MAKERS OF
KI-MOIDS
(Tablets or Granules)
FOR INDIGESTION
21-104k

GOOD JUDGMENT—THIS

The other evening a man was thinking about his insurance policies and other important papers and he decided it was indeed foolish to keep them at home.

This man knew it would cause him a great deal of trouble if these things should be lost or destroyed so he came to the bank the next morning to rent a Safety Deposit Box.

This man was surprised to find just what he wanted at very small cost—so small that he hardly noticed the price at all.

When it costs so little to play safe why take chances? A few cents a month pays the bill.

Think it over.

M. & P. NATIONAL BANK

"The bank that service built"

Capital \$100,000.00
Surplus \$20,000.00

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In this interesting collection you will find your favorite labels on Soaps, Powders, Creams and Perfumes at reduced prices.

Jergen's Benzoin and Almond Lotion 27c
Mary Garden Face Powder, \$1.00 size 85c
Colgate's Tooth Paste, large size 19c
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Mary Garden Cold Cream, 75c size 49c
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Colgate's Cashmere Bouquet Soap 18c

Cutex Cuticle Comfort, 35c size 25c
Turner's 65c size Face Powder 50c
Turner's \$1.00 Face Powder 75c
Jergen's Cocoa Almond Soap, 10c cake 7c
Cutex Cake Polish, 35c size 25c
Turner's Lemon Bleach, 50c size 39c
Colgate's Tooth Paste, small size 7c
Jergen's Bath Soap, cake 7c

—3 cakes 20c
Djer Kiss Perfumes, \$3.00 size \$2.25
Colgate's Toilet Water, 50c size 35c

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City Briefs

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Have your Photo made at West's.

Mrs. Jas. A. Smith is looking after business matters at Coalgate.

Russell Battery Co. Willard Service and sales. Phone 140. 8-6-1m

Andrew Brock of near Oakman spent Sunday in Ada.

Miss Merle Elliott of Wynnewood was the week end guest of friends in Ada.

B. D. Nichols from the Roff country was in Ada today on business.

I am prepared to do spraying. W. F. McCaskle, phone 1125-R-1-12-1m

R. S. Frost of Holdenville was a visitor in the city Saturday and Sunday.

Roy McKeown, who is a sophomore in the Oklahoma Baptist University, Shawnee, spent Saturday and Sunday with relatives here.

Shelton sells Furniture on easy payments. 1-21-1t

B. E. Reed of Henryetta spent Sunday with his father and mother, Mr. and Mrs. C. A. Powers of 215 East Twelfth street.

Mr. and Mrs. J. G. Frames of Oklahoma City were business visitors here the past week-end.

Plainview Dairy, Phone RM-25.—A. B. Myers, proprietor. 8-5-1t

George Taylor of Henryetta was here today for a visit with business friends.

W. E. Patterson and wife of Shawnee are visiting the former's parents, Mr. and Mrs. R. H. Patterson of 921 East Eighth street.

R. E. Haynes, of the Haynes Hardware company, is out of the city today on business.

Shelton sells furniture on easy payments. 1-21-1t

Mrs. Tom Hope was again able to be in her office today after suffering Saturday afternoon and Sunday with a pain in her neck and shoulder.

Mrs. J. A. Crews, who spent the past two months with the Norrell and Skinner families, left Sunday for Dallas, Texas.

We loan you a battery while repairing yours. Kit Carson, Phone 124. 119 N. Broadway. 1-2-1mo.

Robert Weisner, manager of the local telegraph office, has returned from Oklahoma City where he attended a meeting of the managers of the company's offices.

Mrs. George Golightly returned from a brief visit to Sherman, Texas, Sunday from a brief visit to Eherman, where her son was operated on recently.

Plainview Dairy, Phone RM-25.—A. B. Myers, proprietor. 8-5-1t

H. C. Stephens, county commissioner, was in from his Oakman home today. He was looking after business matters at the court house.

Horace Northcutt, who has been confined to his home at Coalgate on account of being seriously ill of pneumonia, is reported to be improving. He was attending the college here.

Bring your car repair work to the Motor Sales Co. If we can't make it run we will buy it. 1-12-3td

C. S. Aldrich states that in giving the News the list of prizes he won at the Holdenville poultry show last week he failed to mention the cockerel which won the sweepstakes, or prize for the best of any breed in the show.

Call Thomas Motor Co., for battery service. Phone 163—212 West 12th. 11-23-1t

Ed Miller, Verlon Anders, Bill and Genq Wano and Johnnie Jones of Konawa were here Saturday night to witness the basketball game between the Teachers College and Baptist university.

HEMSTITCHING—8c per yard. Singer Sewing Machine Co., 113 West 12th St., phone 953. 1-12-1m

Eighteen members of the Willard ward school wolf cubs hiked to the caves east of the city lake Sunday afternoon. A good time was had by the boys, who returned home about five o'clock.

Skilled repair work on all makes of batteries at reasonable prices. Kit Carson, Phone 124. 119 N. Broadway. 1-2-1mo

The armory for the two guard units here is proving to be a very popular place for the men. A large crowd assembles there several hours of each day. Boxing is growing in interest as well as box ball.

Federal 33x4—7500 Mile Tire \$26. Other sizes equally as cheap. The Square Deal Service Station. 1-10-1mo

W. H. Brents, county commissioner, was today from his farm in the south end of the county. Mr. Brents instead of renting out his farms this year to be planted to cotton will put most of them in grain and look after them himself.

Send your clothes to the Ada Home Laundry for a good cleaning. We call for and deliver.—J. L. Hughes, proprietor. Phone 883. 511 West Main. 12-27-1mo*

MODIFIED HOOP SKIRT IS SMART FOR FORMAL WEAR



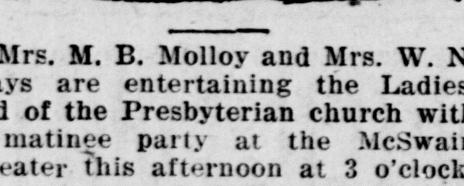
This pretty frock for formal parties and dances shows the prevailing idea of what a hoop skirt should be. It is fashioned of silver lace over white crepe. The basque bodice with its quaint collar is made of white baronette brocade in pastel shades.

COLTER HELD FOR ALLEGED LARGENY

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reward. Once, the witness asserted, he used Colter's car and went to the well at night but "his nerve failed him." Urged by Colter to repeat his attempt, he declared, he drove the defendant's car back to the well again at night and removed the tongs, bringing them to Ada.

Shoat said he met Colter on Mississippi avenue in another car and the defendant changed machines with him.
Counsel for the defense attempted to establish the point that Colter had a bill of sale for the tongs, signed by Shoat. This Shoat denied, asserting that since Colter's arrest Colter had approached him three times in an effort to secure a bill of sale.

The defendant declared he mailed the bill of sale to Ada from Mexia, Texas, and that it was lost in the mails.



Mrs. M. B. Molloy and Mrs. W. N. Mays are entertaining the Ladies' Aid of the Presbyterian church with a matinee party at the McSwain Theater this afternoon at 3 o'clock.

Miss Dorothy Duncan is expected to return today from Denison, Tex., where she has been visiting her cousin, Mrs. Hugh Thompson. She also spent some time visiting in Bonham, Texas.

RAILWAY CONFERENCES ARE RENEWED MONDAY

(By the Associated Press)
WASHINGTON, Jan. 16.—Conferences between railroad executives and leaders of railroad employees unions, which have been inaugurated under the direction of Secretary Hoover with a view to eliminating disagreements and controversies, were resumed today with executive representatives of the principle roads of the country in attendance along with heads of the four brotherhoods.

The meeting today was the second held under the direction of Mr. Hoover, acting on the suggestion of President Harding. The first meeting was held about a week ago.
Wages and railroad rates were understood to have been gone into some extent at the inaugural meeting and it was thought today's discussion would range to a considerable extent around those points.

DEAD IRISHMAN THOUGHT TO BE SON OF ROYALTY

(By the Associated Press)
LONDON, Jan. 16.—The body of an Irishman found dead in a hotel at Jorsham, Sunday afternoon, was identified today as that of the honorable Victor Gibson, son of the late Lord Asbourne, and brother of the present Baron Asbourne. His wife is an American girl, Caroline D. Billier, daughter of Fred B. Billier of New York, whom he married in 1909.

U. S. STEEL CORPORATION GETS PANAMA RIGHTS

WASHINGTON, Jan. 16.—The right of the United States Steel Corporation, through its subsidiaries to operate steamships via the Panama Canal, is upheld in a tentative report today to the interstate commerce commission by the engineer designed to take evidence. The report, if sustained by the commission, will settle the controversy held on that point.

Man Shows Bodies of Murdered Folk Calmly to Officer

(By the Associated Press)
CHARLESTON, Ill., Jan. 16.—The bodies of his wife, son and daughter and the axe with which he killed them were calmly exhibited to Sheriff Vincent Aye by B. F. Monroney, of Charleston, today, after Monroney had surrendered to the sheriff in his office and had explained that financial worries had driven him to try to exterminate his entire family.

"I killed them while they slept," he is quoted as having said. "Then I went to the barn and tried to hang myself with the window cord, but the knot wasn't big enough and it wouldn't stick. Then I went to hunt you."

CRUELTY AND NEGLECT ALLEGED IN PETITION

Extreme cruelty and threats to kill members of his family are alleged against J. S. Jones, of this county, in a petition for divorce filed recently in the district court by his wife, Mrs. Adella Jones. The statement charges that Jones, after spending much of the family's money, became "disgruntled and quarrelsome" around the home and once threatened to attack the wife and children with a shovel.

Mrs. Jones' petition seeks to restrain her husband from disposing of the remaining property held by the family and to get a divorce and custody of the children.

NEW FRENCH CABINET ASSUMES DUTIES TODAY

(By the Associated Press)
PARIS, Jan. 16.—The new cabinet under Raymond Poincare went into power today with the publishing in the official journal of 19 presidential decrees, one for each minister and under secretary of state. Albert Sarraut will be decreed minister of colonies, the position he held in the Briand cabinet, when his acceptance is received from Washington.

FIVE MILE PROCESSION FOR LAST OF MONARCHS

(By the Associated Press)
HONOLULU, Jan. 16.—A five mile procession weaving in two columns through Plam Grand roads today marked the last rites in the funeral of Jonah K. Kalaniano'le, who died January 7, ending the old Hawaiian line of monarchs.
As the body was taken from the palace, battleguns in the hills began firing minute guns, which continued until the body had been borne to the funeral crypt.

FIRE DESTROYS MILLING COMPANY'S \$35,000 PLANT

(By the Associated Press)
OKLAHOMA CITY, Jan. 16.—Fire of undetermined origin here early today completely destroyed the plant of the Southwestern Milling company at an estimated loss of \$35,000. A store room of the Crites Bros. company nearby was also consumed. The loss will be about \$6,000 the president of the Broom company said.
Two automobile trucks and a motor car also were destroyed in the blaze.

THEATER MANAGER HELD UP AND ROBBED OF PAYROLL

(By the Associated Press)
KANSAS CITY, Jan. 16.—Emil Euman, assistant manager of the Garden theater here, was held up by two masked men and robbed of \$2,200 in cash, part of the theater's payroll, this morning. The robbery occurred in the office of the theater. Euman had just returned from a bank with the money. In escaping, one of the bandits dropped a satchel containing \$500.

LAWYER FOR I. W. W. IS EXPELLED FROM SHREVEPORT

(By the Associated Press)
SHREVEPORT, La., Jan. 16.—Harold Mulks, lawyer for two alleged I. W. W. members arrested on vagrancy charges, who was kidnapped by two unmasked men, was placed aboard a west bound M. K. & T. train at Greenwood, according to official reports here today. Other men joined the party after it left Shreveport, the report stated. Greenwood is about 17 miles east of here.

OKLAHOMA WEATHER.

Tonight fair, somewhat warmer in east and south portions; Tuesday fair, colder in north and west portions.

Mr. and Mrs. M. C. Wilson are moving from East Main street to their new home at the corner of Townsend Avenue and Eighteenth street. This magnificent home has just been completed by F. D. Hill and is one of the most beautiful of the recently constructed residences. The building faces east, with spacious grounds on all sides.

Renews Packer Probe.
WASHINGTON, Jan. 16.—Senator LaFollette, republican, Wisconsin, introduced a resolution today providing for another packer investigation.

LOCAL SCOUTS NOSE OUT CRACK TEAM OF FRANCE

A picked team of Ada Boy Scouts, selected from the various city troops, gained an advantage of one point and thereby a game from Francis Boy Scouts in a basketball game at Glenwood school Saturday afternoon by a score of 12-11. It was one of the tightest contests that has been staged by young teams here this season.

H. P. Merryman of West Ninth street is moving with his family to Mexia, Texas.

ITALY HONORS HER UNKNOWN SOLDIER



As another nation to honor its unknown soldier, Italy recently escorted to its final resting place the body of a nameless hero who fell upon the field of battle in the late war. Photo shows a Roman column surmounted with a vase of water from the river Timavo, a tribute to the unknown hero from the girls of Trieste.

New Oil Pool May Be Indicated in Recent Wells at Okmulgee

(By the Associated Press)
OKMULGEE, Jan. 16.—That a new oil pool has been uncovered in and around section 13-1-1, 10 miles southwest of Okmulgee, is indicated by the completion of two 2,500 barrel wells brought in today by the Independent Oil & Gas company of Okmulgee and the Gypsy Oil company. Six wells in section 13 are now producing together 10,000 barrels daily, and 4 wells in the Lyons Pool are producing 20,000 barrels daily. The producing sand is found at 2,700 feet.

Thousands Swarm To Good Road Meeting In Chicago Today

(By the Associated Press)
CHICAGO, Jan. 16.—Thousands of delegates from all parts of the United States and Canada were in Chicago today for the opening of the National Good Roads Show in the Coliseum. They included governors of middle western states, federal and state commissioners of highways, engineers, traffic experts and other leaders in the building and maintenance of roads.
They will also attend the "good roads congress," which is being held in conjunction with the highway show. It was stated this morning that the delegations would include nearly all the men directly concerned with the plan for an expenditure of \$223,000,000 for new highways in the United States during the year.

CITY BRIEFS

O. J. Davidson dry goods and groceries. Phone 382. 1-16-1mo

A. L. Bullock, Roff attorney, was here today on legal business.

WANTED—To rent 6 room modern house close in. Phone 382. 1-16-21*

Ed Osborne is in Jesse this week on business. He is attending the Teachers College here.

Roy Carter is spending several days in Mexia, Tex., on oil business.

W. W. Gaines, of Stonewall, spent today here transacting business.

J. L. Hixon from Route 4 was in the city today. He states that the land in his neighborhood is in good working condition and that ploughing is well under way.

The home of M. C. Wilson, member of the clothing and dry goods firm of Stevens-Wilson, which has been under construction for the past six months is nearly completed and the first load of furniture has been moved in. The Wilson family expect to be established in their new home within a few days.

ANADAKO.—N. B. Hunnicutt, a farmer living ten miles southwest of darka, recently butchered a beef, market price of which would have been \$25, said a report of Mamie Boynton, home demonstration agent. The beef dressed 570 pounds. Hunnicutt sold \$14.50 worth of meat, kept one hind quarter weighing 150 pounds, which was hung up in a cool place for winter use, and his wife canned 200 cans of roast, steak, sausage, pot roast and soup stock, besides making 44 quarts of mince meat.

Walker of Stockton-on-Tees, England, invented the friction match in 1829.

HIS CUE WORK IS TALK OF BILLIARD WORLD



Welker Cochran, snapped while warming up for one of his matches in the international tourney at Chicago.

The sensational playing of Welker Cochran in the international billiard tourney in Chicago bears out the predictions that he may be the man to unseat Willie Hoppe from his throne in the near future. Cochran, still in his early twenties, set a high run record for the tourney when he ran up 386 points in the fourth inning of his match with George Sutton. He won the match in the fifth inning, 400 to 57. The previous record for the meet was 307, held by Hoppe. Cochran is a San Francisco man.

JOE E. SLOAN ENTERS RACE FOR SHERIFF

The News is authorized to announce Joe E. Sloan as a candidate for the office of sheriff of Pontotoc county, subject to the Democratic primary.

Mr. Sloan is another old timer of this county, having located at Center twenty-seven years ago and having been in the county continuously since his arrival. Mr. Sloan has always been a recognized leader in every movement having as its object the betterment of his community and did his share in building up this section to what it is today. His life is an open book to everybody. He is thoroughly familiar with conditions and having always been arrayed on the side of law and order, there can be no question about a rigid and impartial enforcement of the statutes, if he is elected to this office.

MOTION FOR VENUE CHANGE OVERRULED BY FISHER

Claude Turner, charged with beating a board bill, appeared before Justice of the Peace W. H. Fisher this morning and, through his attorneys, filed a petition for a change of venue. The motion was overruled and preparations for the hearing sometime later in the day were being made.
Turner is under \$100 bond on the charge.

THE YOUNG LADY ACROSS THE WAY



The young lady across the way says her brother is only on the scrub team but she supposes the men that rub the players down after a hard game really do as much for their alma mater as anybody else and get none of the glory.

Battery F is planning to give a minstrel show in a few weeks. Parts are to be assigned shortly, it is understood.

J. M. BYRD FOR COUNTY WEAVER

J. M. (Jim) Byrd authorizes the News to announce his candidacy for county weaver, subject to the action of the Democratic primary.

Mr. Byrd has resided in what is now Pontotoc county for the past 39 years, living in and around Stonewall and Ada during this period. He has had an active part in helping to develop this county from its primitive state to its present state and has gone through all the hardships incident to pioneering a new country.

He has engaged in farming and stock raising and the drug business most of the time and his long residence among the people of this county has given them an opportunity to learn of his qualifications and reputation. He can be relied on to give everybody a square deal and there is no other office in the county that brings the holder into daily contact with more people than does that of county weaver.

GENERALLY FAIR IS WEATHER PREDICTION

WASHINGTON, Jan. 14.—Weather predictions for the week beginning Monday are:

Upper Mississippi and Lower Missouri Valleys: Generally fair except for snows Tuesday or Wednesday; normal temperature.

Let a News Want Ad get it.

The Old Fashioned Sale

offers another big week of Special "January Values"

Many items have been added to make the Old Fashioned January Clearance Sale still more interesting. Every section of the store is now contributing special values. That we may make room for the Spring merchandise that is now arriving daily is our prime motive in ridding our shelves of all goods of a winter nature. Even early spring goods are placed on sale at special prices during January.

\$2.25 and \$1.75 Woolens for \$1.39

This group consists of serges in practically every shade used, blue, tan, red, burgundy, navy and green. Also Tricotine in blue and Ottoman cloth in a few shades. All nels in 54 inch widths.

\$3 Woolens for \$2.10

Fine grade of French and storm serges in purple, black, navy, brown, and other used shades, and fine grade of navy and black Tricotine. Black and blue all wool Flannels in 4 inch widths.

\$1.25 and \$1.50 Woolens for 69c

Woolen serge in 36 inch widths, colors of blue, green, red and navy. Also cotton and wool mixed Tricotine in navy.

Ladies' and Misses' Wool Sweaters

Ladies' and Misses' Wool Sweater Coats in a great many plain shades and scores of them in various contrastive and harmonious shades. Owing to a limitation of space one would be unable to describe in detail as these prices apply to our entire stock.

1.98

Formerly \$3

3.95

Formerly \$5.50

2.95

Formerly \$4

5.65

Formerly \$8.50

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Coats
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and
Warner
Corsets

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WAR'S HORRIBLE WASTE

Mr. R. C. Leffingwell was the assistant secretary of the treasury in charge of finances during the war. While he was in the treasury he became deeply impressed with the magnitude of government expenditures and the looseness, inefficiency and waste that are a part of government method. All the secretaries of the treasury since the outbreak of the war have shared this feeling of apprehension and concern with Mr. Leffingwell. I quote here a recent utterance of his on war expenditures:

"Of the \$4,000,000,000, exclusive of interest on the public debt, spent in the fiscal year 1921, \$1,101,615,013.32 was spent by the War department, \$650,373,855.58 by the Navy department, \$800,000,000 on the railroads, \$230,000,000 by the bureau of war risk insurance, and \$357,814,897.01 by the Interior department, mostly, I take it, for Civil war and Spanish war pensions—a total of \$3,080,000,000 under these heads.

"In the fiscal year 1920 the War department spent \$1,610,000,000, and the Navy department \$740,000,000, a total of \$2,350,000,000. Secretary Mellon estimates that in the fiscal year, 1921, the War department will spend \$1,025,000,000, and the Navy department \$700,000,000, a total of \$1,725,000,000; and that in the fiscal year, 1922, the War department will spend \$570,000,000, and the Navy department \$545,000,000, a total of \$1,115,000,000. This makes a three-years' total of \$5,190,000,000.

"Germany went to war to realize on her investment in arms and armies. The burden of universal military service, expenditures on the army and navy, subsidies and doles, became intolerable. She thought she would repeat the exploit of 1870 and make war so profitable in territory and indemnities as to recoup herself for the outlay of 40 years' preparation. The splendid resistance of the Belgians and the French and of the little British expeditionary force made the short war a futile dream. The untrained manhood and unmortgaged resources of the Western World, of the British empire overseas, and finally of America, determined the issue. Germany suffered economic collapse, though her armies, beaten but not routed, were still on enemy soil. So Germany's military preparedness was her cause for making war and was the cause of her defeat. In the issue, it was economic preparedness that mattered most.

"Today, men, women and little children are starving to death in Europe because of the war's horrible waste and because of the still more horrible waste of after the war. Two years and a half after armistice, nearly two years after peace was concluded between Germany and the allies, millions of men are under arms, eating and wearing the produce of the fields and of the labor of a civilian population which must bear the load of taxes and inflation necessary to maintain those armies in economic idleness. The peoples of continental Europe are staggering under the load of armaments, far too great before the war and intolerable now. Their rulers hold themselves in power by subsidies and doles, by playing, now on their fears, and again on their avarice, still again on nationalistic ambitions or ancient racial hatreds. The allies have undertaken to insure Germany's economic recovery by insisting upon her disarmament and the payment of reparations which means the development of a huge export balance; but for themselves they reserve the doubtful privilege of remaining armed to the teeth.

"We have demonstrated our military power. We have shown what may be done in a few short months to make an army and transport it to wage a foreign war. We have no need to be aggressors abroad, we are invulnerable at home. Let us accept the responsibilities of the position of leadership which is ours, show the world how to beat swords into plowshares, relieve the peoples of the world of apprehension and lead them back into the ways of peace and plenty. If we prepare for war we shall have it. If we lead the world in preparation for peace we may have that."

Steel Barrels.

If the statements of the makers are well founded, it is probable that steel barrels will eventually take the place of wooden ones. The steel barrel is composed of staves of that material locked together by an ingenious device; the hoops and heads are also of steel. It is claimed that the steel barrel is more durable and more compact than the wooden one. As it is said to be lighter and cheaper, it has already had favor in various quarters. About 300,000,000 barrels are needed annually in normal times, to supply the demand in the United States. Flour mills use about 90,000,000, the sugar industry 40,000,000, and the cement industry 75,000,000.—Christian Science Monitor.

The famous Mayflower compact, vessel, will be commemorated in a signed by the Pilgrims in their bronze base-relief, which was set up in Provincetown, Mass., recently.

MIAMI WATERS TEEM WITH FISH; BIG ONES BITING THIS YEAR



IN THE HAUNTS OF THE DEEP SEINER, BIG ONES

There is one place in the world where the "biggest fish" is not "the one that got away," according to the modern Isak Walton who offers battle to the decisions of the deep in their native element. The angler of today gets his biggest fish and has himself photographed with it when he takes rod and line to Miami, Florida, the paradise of the winter fishermen. Government experts have discovered some seven hundred different varieties of fish in the waters off the shores of Florida near Miami, and because it's now June in Miami in mid-winter the fishermen find solace there when the northern streams are ice-bound.

Charles H. Thompson, who steered President Harding and his party through the mazes of Miami waters, knows all the big fish by their first names, and as the photographs show, he is not averse to calling them out of the sea. Thompson can find the tremendous tarpon, the fighting barracuda and the gigantic sailfin within a few hours off the sun-wet beaches of Miami, and he maintains that nowhere in the world can the fisherman find the varied excitement that is offered by the myriad fish off the eastern coast of Florida.

And apparently America's fishermen agree with him, for just the moment the winter season opened at Miami this year, about mid-December, the partitions of light tackle and heavy tackle for deep sea fishing, hurried to Miami through Biscayne Bay the fishing



CHARLES H. THOMPSON, OF MIAMI, FISHING GUIDE, AND TWO "SILVER KINGS" Here is a typical day's catch by a winter fisherman off Miami: Fifteen sand perch (for bait), one mutton fish (snapper), six core mackerel (two very large), one barracuda (38 1/2 inches long), one amberjack.

TEACHING PUPILS HOW TO READ, INTERPRET AND SOLVE PROBLEMS IN ARITHMETIC

By R. S. Newcomb

Teaching Pupils to Interpret Problems.

Much that has already been said about the reading of problems applies equally as well to their proper interpretation. If pupils are ever taught to interpret problems intelligently they must first be led to understand that there is in every problem a central idea involved. They must be led to see that every problem is a story about something. The practice of requiring pupils to read problems silently and then write or tell the ideas involved in the problems is a highly commendable one. The pupil must be led to feel that nothing can take the place of keen concentrated thinking about the problem during the time it is being read and immediately thereafter.

As has been pointed out in one of the preceding paragraphs, one of the greatest barriers to proper problem reading and consequently problem interpretation is the inability of the pupil to form a clear mental image of the situation involved. As a problem is read there should come in the mind a mental picture or image of the situation as a whole or at least of certain phases of the conditions described. In order that the pupil have proper mental imagery the problem material must be within the mental grasp of the pupil. It must deal with relatively familiar experiences, and hence must emanate from the needs, interests and activities of the pupil. Many of the interpretation difficulties of pupils can be traced directly to the fact that the reading and interpretation of unfamiliar words or thoughts are involved which make a proper mental image of the situations involved impossible. Psychology tells us that mental images are the tools with which we reason. This being true the more that can be done in the way of clarifying the mental image of the pupil in connection with a problem the less will be his interpretation difficulties.

Few pupils are given any definite instruction in the methods of interpretation of problems. Much assistance will be afforded pupils if the teacher will occasionally read over a number of problems and offer clear, simple interpretations. Often an entire lesson devoted to problems will open entirely new avenues of thought in the minds of some pupils in regard to the nature and construction of problems.

In connection with problem study the idea is altogether too prevalent that the computation is the essential part of the problem. The essential part of the problem is the interpretation of the problem, and the student should receive the major attention of pupils. Computation is largely a mechanical process while interpretation involves a very distinct type of reasoning. One reason problem interpretation has not received the attention which its importance necessitates is the fact that teachers have stressed computation and mechanical processes to a much greater degree. A premium is placed upon rapid work and quick solutions. The pupil gets the idea that the quicker he can begin his actual figuring the sooner he will complete the work and possibly receive the approbation of the teacher and the administration of his class mates. Little attention is given to his conception of the problem of his methods of interpretation. If his answer is correct the reward is his; however imperfect his interpretation may be or how indistinct and hazy his mental picture of the situation involved. The wide awake teacher whose pupils have difficulty with arithmetic problems will seek to assist her pupils not by indicating solutions or actually solving the problems herself, but by properly devised questions, artfully contrived experiences and by properly devised questions, artfully contrived experiences and by systematic guidance

of the pupil's thought processes so that correct interpretation will result.

In proper problem solving much depends upon the attention given by the pupil to the planning of the solution. So often the pupil reads the problem over and then begins to add, subtract or multiply as the notion happens to suggest itself to him at that particular moment. We would not think much of the judgment of a man who started out to build a house by laying the foundation, putting up the up-rights and then drawing the plan of his house. The first essential in building a house is a definite well drawn plan. The same thing is true in solving problems. First think over the problem, decide upon the processes to be used, the exact manner in which the numbers involved are to be related to each other and formulate a definite line of procedure. Occasionally it is well to have the pupil write down the indicated solution of a large number of problems. This practice will often enable a pupil to see entirely through a problem and decide whether or not the most economical methods are being used and whether the result which the indicated solution is to yield will be correct.

Te pupil should be led to realize that after reading a problem over a short interval of time should be spent in analyzing the different elements of the problem, properly imaging the central ideas, determining the conditions given and required and discovering the relationships existing between the various parts. Practice in naming the processes to be used in solving problems and in indicating the solution without actually performing the work will yield excellent results in causing the pupil to habitually plan a solution before beginning the computation. Practice may also be had in this connection by having one pupil read a problem and another go to the board and indicate how it is to be solved. An excellent procedure is to spend a recitation period now and then reading problems in various parts of the book and requiring pupils to tell how to solve them. It is the reading and interpretation of problems and the planning of solutions which makes problem study of so much value. Where the teacher makes the statements or tells the pupil what processes to use in solving a problem, the work in problem solving is nothing more than example solving which is largely a mechanical and habitual process. The development of the reasoning ability comes through the exercise of judgment necessary in choosing the processes to be used in the solution of problems. "From the first little problem in the primary grades to the more difficult and intricate ones in the upper grades the teacher must see that proper drill is given the pupil in exercising his judgment in the selection of processes necessary for the proper solution of problems." In order that pupils receive the proper drill in judgment and reasoning the problems must be suited to his mental capacity. It is of little value to the reasoning power of the pupil for the teacher to habitually indicate the solutions for him. Far better that the problems be very simple and the various steps of solution be reasoned out by the pupil than that the problems be very highly complicated and stereotyped forms of solutions be meted out to pupils on request.

Problem solving to be of the greatest value to the pupil must include a thorough use of the reasoning capacity of the pupil. The mechanical process should be considered secondary rather than primary in importance. Practice should be given the pupil in separating the given parts of a problem from the required parts. Solutions may be planned in a number of ways; by merely stating or writing down the processes to be used, by addition, subtraction, multiplication or division, by stating or writing down the method of solution as equational, graphical or analytical, or by form-

ula, or by writing down the numbers involved in the problem in their various relations and indicating the operations to be performed in each case.

The pupil should be taught from the beginning that the solving of problems is an important task. Problem solving is a conquest, and a conquest of sufficient moment as to demand and necessitate the organization and planning of an attack if satisfactory results are to be obtained.

Teaching Pupils to Solve Problems.

In the solution of problems pupils should be taught to perform all their work with abstract numbers. Only the answer need be labeled. If an analysis is desired it has been found best to place it to one side by itself free from the actual computation. The analysis of a problem should be short and largely abbreviated. Many difficulties of pupils can be traced to the long and involved analysis. Pupils become confused in the complexity of words and phrases and fail in problem solving as a result. It is far better that the analysis in form and wording be largely of the pupil's own choosing so long as it is neat and orderly done. It would be well if much of the work in problem solving could be of an oral nature. In actual life conditions practically all problems encountered are solved with little or no use of the pencil. To be fitted for the practical demands of life in connection with ordinary buying and selling the pupil should be fairly well trained in oral computation. Ofttimes in problems arising in outside activities which necessitate the use of a pencil in solving only the more difficult combinations are then performed in writing. The pencil and crayon habit can become so strongly entrenched during the school period that oral computation will be greatly hampered and consequently complete success under life conditions less assured.

As accuracy is a prime essential to success in the business world it should receive no little attention in the classroom. While it is necessary for the school to give rewards for effort and give recognition oftentimes for relatively unsatisfactory work in order to offer encouragement to the pupil to strive for greater efficiency, yet the fact should never be lost sight of that accuracy is one of the most important factors with which we are concerned in the study of arithmetic. One hundred percent accuracy should be the goal of every pupil in every form of computation.

Pupils should be taught to check all results in some manner. Usually an approximate checking of results especially in the more complicated problems is sufficient, however the pupil should be given adequate drill in specific checking so that when the occasion demands he will be in readiness. Requiring the pupil to check the answer found with the approximate answer secure before the actual solution is a valuable type of checking. Considering the answer to the query. "Does my

answer seem reasonable?" Will ordinarily serve as a desirable check. Some form of checking whether of a specific or general nature is highly conducive to accuracy. As a result of proper checking of results, slight errors of computation are quickly noted and more significant and oftentimes absurd errors in interpretation are occasionally made apparent. In all work in problem solving the teacher should strive to inculcate in the mind of the pupil a critical attitude. One a desire for absolute accuracy is ingrained in the mind of the pupil, he will not consider the solution of a problem completed until the result secured has been properly verified.

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QUAKERS CLING TO SILENCE AS GREATEST GOOD

(By the Associated Press)

RICHMOND, Ind., Jan. 16.—On the ground of an experience of more than 250 years, during which the Quaker church has relied upon "silent waiting before God" as the source of spiritual discernment, its members, known as the Friends, today still believe in the power of silence. Walter C. Woodward, general secretary of the Five Years Meeting of Friends in America and editor of the American Friend, in a statement issued here today said this religious group still believes that the world may be purified and strengthened through the power of a living silence.

"From the constant clash and confusion which disturbs it," he said, "the world must retire to the inner chamber of the unseen reality of the spirit, if peace and good will are to become regnant."

"The world is now stirred as never before with aspirations for world brotherhood. To become fruitful, these aspirations must be based upon the will of peace. The attainment of this will is primarily a spiritual, rather than an intellectual process. It must come through spiritual communion with God, and through Him with man, the brother. Herein lies the power of silence, through Him with man, the brotherhood with the infinite."

"This is not the silence of seclusion which would lead one from life's responsibilities to the introspection of the monastic cell. It is what Friends term a living silence through which men may become spiritually energized for the great tasks of human betterment."

"Spiritual things cannot be discerned without quiet meditation, the western world is reminded by Sadhu Sundar Singh, the Hindoo seer. That American churches are coming to recognize this fundamental principle is illustrated by the clamor call for 'spaces of silence' made by The Churchman, organ of the Episcopal church of America. At a time when the soul of America is being stirred to meet the need of the world, Friends wish it for all friends of peace and good will."

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The Ada Charity Clinic is now organized. On December 16, 1921 a number of doctors met at the office of Dr. M. C. McNew and organized and established a staff for the purpose of caring for the suffering poor of Ada and surrounding country.

This staff will give their services to all who are not able to pay and the requirements will be to bring a certificate from their family physician or some reliable layman or the secretary of the Red Cross.

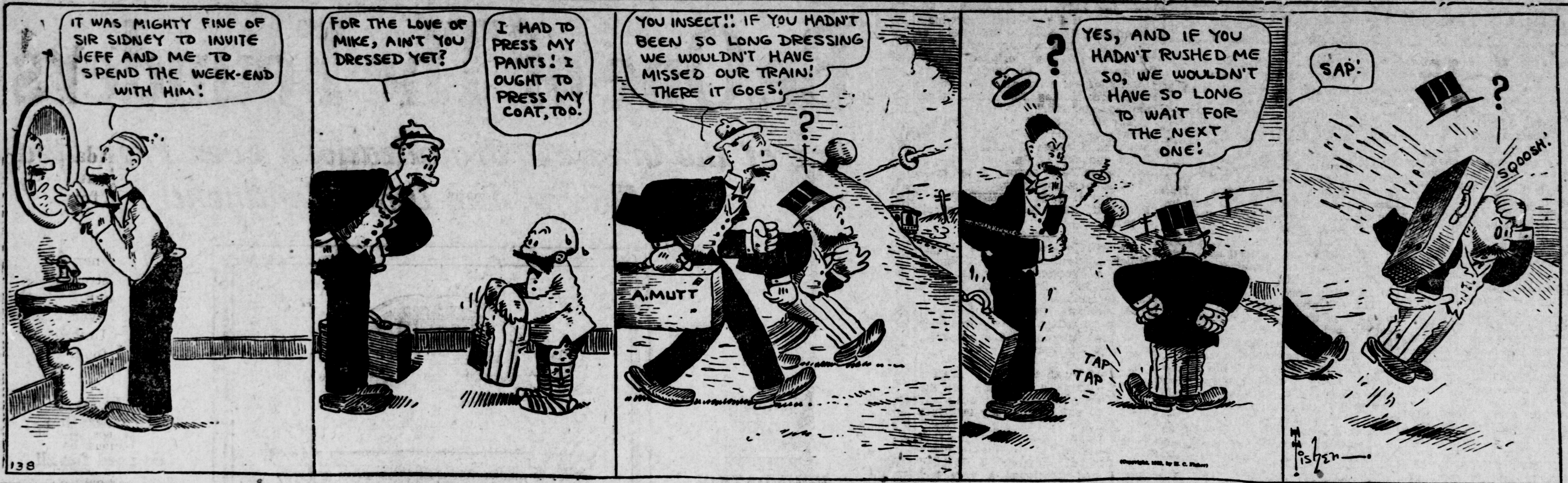
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B. P. O. E.—Ada Lodge No. 1276 meets second and fourth Monday nights in each month.—H. Claude Pitt, secretary.

A. O. U. W.—Lodge No. 40 meets first and third Tuesday nights of each month.—J. B. Emory, Secretary.

A. F. & A. M.—Regular meeting of Ada Lodge No. 119, Monday night on or before the full moon in each month.—John Thrasher, W. M.; F. C. Sims, secretary.

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Under a plan put into operation at Madelia, Minn., merchants have agreed to accept corn from farmers at 10 cents above the current market price in settlement of old accounts and in payment for goods. Each farmer is limited to the disposal of 100 bushels.

Mystery Order Warns All Cheaters to Go Straight In High School Quizzes

An air of mystery prevailed Ada High school today. Students passed quietly up and down the halls from one class room to another, only daring to stop for a whispered word or two at intervals. Some exchanged wise glances, some showed on their faces signs of worry. Other were awed and some were just plain curious.

A bomb shell had been exploded in their midst and it came as a distant surprise. Nothing like it has happened in the school before, so say those who for the past four years have been students there.

A new order has been formed. Evidence to this fact is also not hard to find. It was in the form of warnings posted over the building which in solemn words advised every student "who cheats, copies or steals," to "either quit or get out."

It carried the notice that examination week had arrived and left the impression that those who had been in the habit of cribbing would be held responsible. The notices were signed "by order of the H.V.I."

In full it was as follows:

WARNING!
"This is to notify YOU that this is examination week. We are among you in every class and every room. Cheating MUST stop. There is no room in this school for the boy or girl that cheats, copies or steals. Either quit or get out."

JAPAN CONCEDES LEASED HOLDING TO THE CHINESE

(By the Associated Press)

WASHINGTON, Jan. 16.—Japan through her arms conference delegates agreed today to transfer to China the administration of the leased territory of Kiao-Chow in Shantung Province.

The agreement becomes effective when a complete settlement is reached on the entire Shantung controversy now before the Chinese and Japanese delegations. The Japanese also agreed today to hand over to the Chinese government all documents necessary for the administration of the leased hold, when the transfer is effective.

Form British Pact.

PARIS, Jan. 14.—Foreign minister Jaspar of Belgium announced today a tentative agreement for a British-Belgium pact in which Great Britain promises her aid to the full against an attack upon Belgium or the violation of her territory.

The meeting of the far eastern committee was called at the Chinese

"Signed

"By order of the H.V.I." Prof. A. L. Fentem declared this morning that he was as surprised as the students. When asked whether that he was aware of there being any excess cheating among the students, he said that there was enough of it to warrant such action by the new order, although it did not prevail in the school generally.

"We have been unable to stop it," he said, "and I am glad that the students are willing to help us. The notice is taken by the faculty as meaning that the better type of student is behind us and that they will do everything in their power to put a stop to the 'easy way' of getting through school."

Nobody Knows.

When the organization was formed, where, how or what its true name is, or who is directly responsible for it, could not be learned. All the students were either mum on the subject or knew no more about it than the messages revealed.

What steps will be taken by the new organization to punish students who fail to obey their warnings could not be learned, either, and the more radical students are eagerly waiting for a violator of the order, hoping that they may be given "a little excitement," when time for punishment arrives.

delegation headquarters for the purpose of passing on the final draft of the Chinese tariff agreement. The question of the 21 demands, in the opinion of the Chinese, would not come up at today's session as it was believed that other far eastern questions would appear at this time.

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hundred dollars. It frequently happens that a student earns in one year after graduation a sum equal to the entire cost of his college education. Under these conditions it is certainly safe to say that an investment in an education here is a perfectly safe investment that pays larger returns. To attend East Central pays in salary as well as in satisfaction.

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TRIAL OF SIX CHARGED WITH ROBBERY DELAYED

OKLAHOMA CITY, Jan. 16.—The trial of six men charged with being implicated in the robbery of a Santa Fe mail train between here and Edmond last September, was continued until January 23 when called in federal court here today.

Five Million Loan Is Allowed Cubans By U. S. Government

WASHINGTON, Jan. 16.—The American government has notified Cuba that she may negotiate a loan of \$5,000,000 in the United States but that the floating of a further loan of \$50,000,000 suggested by Cuba will depend upon the ability of the island authorities to reduce further the Cuban budget, it was said today at the state department.

Morgan to Make Loan.

NEW YORK, Jan. 16.—A \$5,000,000 temporary loan to the Cuban government will in all probability be announced by J. P. Morgan and company tomorrow, it was learned in Wall street today.

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DOINGS OF THE VAN LOONS—Well if the others can, why not Father.

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BIBLE THOUGHT FOR TODAY

GREAT POWER FROM GOD:—Behold, I give unto you power to tread on serpents and scorpions, and over all the power of the enemy; and nothing shall by any means hurt you.—Luke 10:19.

THE FRENCH ATTITUDE.

A rift has appeared in the lute upon which the disarmament conference was beginning to play a march of peace. The French are the parties guilty of causing the trouble. They flatly refuse to agree on cutting down the submarine building program and it has come to be a question of agreeing to French terms of calling off the whole proposition of limiting armaments. France is staggering under a stupendous public debt somewhere up near forty billion dollars. She owes the United States an immense sum upon which she is not even paying the interest, but in the face of national bankruptcy she insists on maintaining an expensive military and naval program. On one hand France seeks a cancellation of the debt to America and on the other insists that she must be permitted to expend millions on more armament. Such a course will not help her cause any in this county.

Of course the underlying motive may possibly be fear of another German invasion, but there is also ground for suspicion that France has not lost all of her admiration for Napoleon and still harks back to the days when French bayonets glittered from the mouth of the Tagus to the Vistula. Before the meeting of the Versailles conference Clemenceau ridiculed the idea of a league of nations considering the old order of things with France the strongest continental power good enough for him. At all events developments since the signing of the armistice prove that the European nations have not lost any of their selfishness and have not taken Wilson's ideals to heart to any noticeable extent. It is still every fellow for himself and the devil take the hindmost. Necessity and force are the only arguments very well understood over there. The United States may prefer her former splendid isolation, but with billions of dollars owing this government by Europe necessity will force the United States to exercise enough influence in European politics to compel peace and eventually collect what is owing us. Certainly this will never be if there is any more war in Europe for a long time to come.

A Berlin dispatch states that at the request of his family Trotsky, the bolshevik leader of Russia, was recently publicly expelled from the Jewish church. Even his own family could not tolerate his infamous careers as leader of the red revolution, and took this means of disowning him. Although there is little to commend in Trotsky's career, it may be regarded as an awful retribution on the Russian nation that a Jew has worked so much woe on it. Russia has long been a vindictive persecutor of the Jews and not a year passed that did not witness a massacre or two of Jews, just as the Armenians were butchered by the Turks. Now the wheel of fortune has turned, a Jew has come into power and the other elements of the population are having a taste of the sufferings formerly heaped upon the Jews. Two wrongs do not make a right, but the law of retribution is one that cannot be repealed. What a man or nation sows must be reaped, although in either case it is the innocent who must bear much of the suffering as a result of the wickedness of others.

The death of Senator Penrose removes one of the leaders of the Republican party at a very critical time. Penrose has long occupied a commanding position in the councils of the party and would have had much to do in shaping legislation during the next few years. Since the days of Aldrich and Hale, Penrose, Smoot and Lodge have been the recognized heads of the party in the senate, but they could never command the unwavering support of their colleagues that Aldrich and Hale did. With removal of Penrose from the stage of action the question of leadership of the senate will be rather uncertain. Penrose was always strongly conservative and his death may possibly give the progressive element of the party a greater influence in shaping party policy and national legislation.

Ada recently passed her twenty-first birthday as a railroad town. She is a very lusty young lady, thank you, and in another decade promises to outstrip many more of her old sisters in Oklahoma as she has done in the past. With her steady and substantial growth Ada attains her majority in the bloom of health and full of confidence for the future. Ada has learned to move in only one direction—forward. She owes her growth and healthy development to a bunch of boosters who gave the infant careful attention and whose number was augmented as the infant grew in years and stature.

We hope to see the day when the naval powers' dreadnought will be 0-0-0.

Dr. Barton says there is no husband shortage in America. Yet there are a lot of husbands short just now.

The Evening News

Your 30 Slaves.
(Wichita Times)

Take away all our machinery and steam and electrical power, and it would require 3,000,000,000 hard-working slaves to duplicate the work done by Americans.

The use of power and machinery gives to every man, woman and child in our country the equivalent of 30 slaves.

This is figured out in the latest bulletin of the Smithsonian Institution.

Why envy the nobleman, back in ancient Egypt or Bagdad, with 30 slaves toiling for him?

He had a swift-running slave bring him fish from the ocean and bird tongues from the mountains.

Today, with a few dimes, you can get a tin can of shrimp brought from Japan, a package of dates from Syria, a bag of nuts from Brazil, sardines from Norway.

Your slaves—machinery and power—bring them.

For a few cents, you can buy enough matches to start 1000 fires. When the ancient nobleman's fire was doused by the rain, he shivered in the cold until slaves made a blaze by friction or brought fire-brands from afar.

Plenty of old settlers, now living, can recall the days before matches, when they ran a mile from the nearest neighbor's with a shovelful of blazing coals.

Your real wealth is measured, not in money, but in the number of things you obtain to eat and wear, the ease with which you get them, the comforts and conveniences of your home, methods of transportation and amusement.

It is only a few centuries since even the richest kings had no sewers, running water, rapid transportation or any of the commonplace things that brighten the lives of all today.

Each year adds to our comforts and conveniences.

A few years ago, only the richest men in town had autos. Now there's an auto for every 12 Americans.

Henry Ford is experimenting with a mixture of glue, cotton and formaldehyde. He expects to make a powerful building material out of these. If he succeeds, he'll stamp flivvers out like doughnuts.

That seems like a dream. But it is merely typical of the processes of mass production that have given the average person luxuries that were denied the kings of antiquity.

Measured in ancient standards, we are all kings today, with the slaves of electricity, steam and machinery toiling constantly for us.

"How An Ex-President Should Act" (Muskegon Phoenix)

Mr. Woodrow Wilson has just celebrated his sixty-fifth birthday. It wasn't much of a celebration.

Perhaps for this bent "old man" who only a few years before had known the applause of multitudes and had heard the praise of kings.

A short time ago a hero of France, a "saviour of the world," an idol in the eyes of his own people, he Wednesday passed the sixty-fifth mile stone of his eventful life, almost alone. Telegrams that came to him were much of the perfunctory sort that one might expect from old friends and men whom he had served under him. There was little acclaim in the press, he had apparently been almost forgotten.

And Woodrow Wilson has been forgotten because it is he who has willed it so. That he no longer is "the limelight" is not to his discredit; quite the contrary. It will be remembered that as he retired to private life he answered a reporter's question as to what he proposed to do, with the reply that he "intended to show the people how an ex-president should act." Let the historians record that, thus far at least, he has been true to his determination. His temptations have been great, yet he has held his peace. There have been times that he might have greatly hampered the man who so overwhelmingly defeated the policies he cherished but he has been silent. Politicians have urged him to again hurl himself into the battle and he has declined.

There is no precedent that requires an ex-president to take a back seat; Roosevelt gave us one altogether different. But Woodrow Wilson, to this time, has played the game squarely in our humble estimation at least, has shown us how an ex-president should conduct himself.

SCHOOL FIGURES TO SHOW GREAT GAIN

(Continued from Page One)

"The teachers who succeed are those who have a definitely arranged program and carry it out to the minute as far as practical. They plan their work each day, take interest in the general welfare and home environments of their pupils, and lose sight of the pay check as the only remuneration or reward for their services. To those who are negligent on these four points, let me urge upon you to improve them. Any assistance which I am able to give is at your command."

"Expressing to you my appreciation of your work and co-operation I beg to remain,

"Yours sincerely,

"A. FLOYD, Co. Superintendent."

FEDERAL COURT OPENS AT CAPITAL JANUARY 16

OKLAHOMA CITY, Jan. 2.—Federal district court will convene here January 16, it was announced today officially. Of foremost interest of the criminal cases on the docket for trial at this time is the Santa Fe mail train robbery near Edmond several months ago for which six men are now being held at Guthrie.

"LITTLE AFRICA" NEAR NORMALCY AFTER DISASTER

(By the Associated Press)

TULSA, Okla., Jan. 3.—Tulsa's negro section, wiped out in part by the conflagration which swept the district as an aftermath of the race rioting of last June, is again approaching a condition of normalcy. The tented city that sprang up in the wake of the flames and offered shelter to hundreds of homeless negroes, has been replaced in large measure by comfortable two-room houses. Ninety of these houses have been built, largely through efforts of the American Red Cross which has acted as agent of a number of relief organizations contributing to the alleviation of the negroes' condition.

In addition to the homes which have been put up, several one, two and three-story business buildings have been erected out of the ashes of former structures which disappeared in the swirl of angry flames that terminated the race warfare.

These buildings have been built not only by negro merchants, but by white men whose property, which had been rented to negroes, was destroyed.

The negro dwellings put up through the Red Cross cost approximately \$150 each. Many other homes have been erected by negroes who had funds to replace their lost dwellings.

A hospital is being erected by the negroes under the supervision of the Red Cross, which is also conducting classes in sewing for the negro women, teaching them to make supplies needed in the hospital and in their homes.

The new year, according to housing experts, saw a better negro section in Tulsa than existed before the fire, the district having been planned as a unit in its rebuilding and therefore designed more uniformly than its predecessor.

Call Bank Statement.

WASHINGTON, Jan. 3.—The comptroller of the currency today issued a call for the condition of all national banks at the close of business on Saturday, December 31.

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PEOPLE OF OUR TOWN

Let George Do It

CHARLES JOHNSON

The Tightwad Business Man is repelling a Raid on his One-Way Pocket-book! They are getting up a Fourth-of-July celebration, but all they get from Him They can Put in Their Eye. He lets the Other Fellows advertise and bring the Crowds to Town and he reaps the Benefit—without Expense.

Speaking of ultimate results of a movement, a case is cited from Cotton county. Several years ago a boy by the name of Ted J. Johnson, now state senator, became very enthusiastic over raising Mammoth Bronze turkeys. He made a success of it himself and many others followed his example with the result that that section of the state is still raising these birds by the thousands. This year when crops were poor and turkeys high, they shipped several cars of turkeys realizing enough to save many of them from financial disaster. Thus the example

RUMOR LINKS HER NAME WITH CHAPLIN'S, BUT CLAIRE WINDSOR SAYS NOTHING



Claire Windsor.

Claire Windsor, the pretty screen actress whose name has been linked with Charlie Chaplin's by Dame Rumor, turns her pretty back upon inquisitive reporters and will say nothing about the comedian save that he "is a nice man." Then she will look searching into her mirror with her dazling but inscrutable face taking on a serious expression and all reporters forget

there ever was a Charlie Chaplin on earth.

Farmers' Column

By Byron Norrell

According to a report by Prof. B. A. Pratt, now head of the boys' club work of Oklahoma, 23,799 boys are enrolled in various clubs. Miss Frances L. Brown, who is at the head of home demonstration department reports 13,072 girls enrolled for club work. This gives a total of 36,871 live boys and girls who are interested in better and more profitable of farm and home work. Pontotoc county ranks fifth in the number of boys enrolled, the figure being 730. This county holds fourth rank for the girls' clubs with 429 enrolled. When it is remembered that the boys and girls of Pontotoc county took many high honors at the state fairs at Oklahoma City and Muskogee, it will be seen that we have a very wide awake bunch. The results of this club work cannot be measured at this time. It will take several years for the full benefit to become apparent. When the boys begin farming for themselves and the girls have homes of their own to keep and they have the full responsibility of putting into practice what they are now learning, we can see how well we are building for the future. I have always been a strong believer in this club work and have lost none of my enthusiasm.

Occasionally some one rakes me over the coals about some story of how this or that farmer is making a success in some line by following certain methods, claiming that some other method is far better. Well, perhaps so. It is my object to tell how men are making a success of some particular line. Perhaps a different environment will make one man's method impractical in some other locality and perhaps another man finds it easier to reach the same result in a different way. No hard and fast rule can be applied to any method of farming, in fact, different weather conditions may necessitate frequent changes of methods, but what I want to get at is how different farmers do make a success in various lines and then let the other fellow judge for himself. The great point about any business is to think out and apply the best methods. A merchant, banker or newspaper man who insisted on staying in the old path beaten out half a century ago would soon find himself outdistanced by more progressive competitors who changed their methods as conditions changed and who were ready to recognize a plan better than their own when it was presented or think out one of their own.

DAVIS.—I. N. Horn of the Texas A. and M. college has been obtained as the Murray county farm agent for the coming year. He will be located at the county seat, Sulphur, and will enter upon his duties at once.

WANTED.—Man with car to sell low priced Graham Tires, \$130.00 per week and commissions. Graham Tire Co., 2845 Boulevard, Benton Harbor, Mich. 1-3-11*

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PRISONERS SAY TERM IN SOVIET JAIL WAS GOOD

(By the Associated Press)

MOSCOW, Jan. 3.—The majority of political prisoners, men and women, being released from Soviet prisons speak with satisfaction of their imprisonment as "a great experience." While they are not at all anxious to renew the experience, they insist that it did them good.

As being locked up in Russia has become a sort of habit, there is no shame attached to imprisonment, and those released seem proud of their time spent behind bars.

The women prisoners feel that they have seen a novel side of life and, while rich in their abuse of the conditions of their imprisonment, invariably wind up their recital by saying theirs was a great and valuable experience.

Instead of punishing these people, it would almost seem the Soviet government had conferred a distinct benefit on them by locking them up. The solitude of prison life, with its opportunity for self-acquaintance, appealed to Miss Alexandra Tolstoy, daughter of the great writer, who was locked up once for eight months at a stretch.

A Georgian princess spoke enthusiastically to the correspondent of her imprisonment because it confirmed her belief in God. She related how, after months of slow travel in a prison train on her way to Achangel, she fell ill with the typhus, after which she was, by some mischance, put in solitary confinement. She broke down under the strain, she stated, and fervently prayed for release, and it came within the day.

Another woman, once wealthy, declared that her imprisonment had taught her the Communist regime was no worse if not an improvement on the old imperial one. Thrown among people of her own class in prison, she found them selfish and unwilling to share their food, cigarettes and blankets, as was the case of the plain soldiers of the peasant class also in the same prison.

"The human mask of convention and politeness dropped from the educated people, and their fears and selfishness shone plain for all to read," said this woman. "This mill of suffering and bloodshed and revolution has been a needful lesson. It is an impulse towards a new life."

FAMOUS NOVEL SCREENED

"The Wild Goose" by Gouverneur Morris to Be Seen Here.

Gouverneur Morris' fine novel, "The Wild Goose," recently published by Charles Scribner's Sons, of New York, and which has been extensively sold, has been pictured by Cosmopolitan for Paramount, and it will be shown at the McSwain theatre today. Mary MacLaren and Holmes E. Herbert play the leading roles.

"The Wild Goose" was first published in serial form in Hearst's Magazine, whose circulation is 500,000 a month, beginning in September, 1918. The story caught on immediately and was widely read. Mr. Morris' other stories have found great favor with magazine readers. He was born in 1876 in New York City. He attended Yale University at New Haven, Conn., and graduated with a B. A. degree in 1898. Among the most noted of his works are "The Penalty," "When My Ship Comes In," and "The Goddess."

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\$8.50 Values, now \$5.95



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BRITISH GIVE UP RULE OF IRELAND AT DUBLIN TODAY

(By the Associated Press)
DUBLIN, Jan. 16.—The governmental powers of Ireland as vested in the British authorities at Dublin Castle, were turned today to the provisional government as constituted last Saturday under the Anglo-Irish treaty. The transfer was made by Viscount Fitzalan, the Lord Lieutenant, in the privy council chamber. From an early hour this morning the approaches of the castle were blocked by good humored crowds waiting to see what was described as the "fall of Dublin castle." The lower court yard was a mass of visitors, journalists and photographers. The metropolitan police dealt in a friendly manner with all comers and the auxiliaries were in uniform watching the proceedings from their old quarters where they had examined so many Sinn Feiners. The workmen were engaged today in dismantling the screens erected for the protection of the castle from attack. Ashes of burned documents were sprinkled over the spectators outside.

In the upper castle court yard outside the vice-regal apartments, a detachment of the Cornwall regiment on guard for the last time, went through their rifle drill. This was expected to be the final appearance of a British regiment and the troops were duly photographed as they marched off. Post office clerks came to take over from the soldiers the maintenance of the castle telegraph wires.

Troops Keep Crooks From Ruins of Fire Which Swept Mexia

(By the Associated Press)
MEXIA, Jan. 16.—Clearing away of the debris from Saturday night's fire, which destroyed several two story structures on Commerce street here was to begin today. The estimated loss was \$250,000. National guards and Texas rangers sent here to enforce martial law proclaimed by Governor Neff, in his campaign to rid Mexia of law breakers, maintained guard over the burned area during the night to prevent looting of the merchandise of all descriptions in the downtown district.

Liquor Charge Grows Out of Inquiry Into Galey School Battle

Ruff Wardlow, who gave his place of residence as near the Galey school house, in the northern part of the county, was arrested yesterday by county officers and placed in jail here on a charge of transporting intoxicating liquor. The complaint grew out of a court of inquiry conducted in the office of County Attorney Wayne Wadlington two weeks ago into an alleged free-for-all fight and general disturbance at the Galey school two months ago. Other arrests are expected to follow as a result of the investigation.

Far East Remains As Great Issue Monday Before Arms Groups

(By the Associated Press)
WASHINGTON, Jan. 16.—Still awaiting the receipt by the Japanese delegation of its instructions from Tokyo, which are expected to bring the mission to a close, the arms conference today prepared to turn again to the study of far eastern questions. The delegations of the nine powers, participating in the discussion of those questions were called to meet at 3:30 o'clock this afternoon in the first session to be held by that portion of the conference of the five naval powers.

Text Is Accepted

(By the Associated Press)
WASHINGTON, Jan. 16.—The text of the agreement reached by the Chinese and Japanese delegations on Saturday concerning the surrender today by Japan of the Hiao Chow lease hold to China, was formally accepted by the two delegations when the Shantung delegation resumed their meeting. The question of mines along the railroad in Kiao-Chow was touched upon in today's meeting but the discussion was not finished and will be continued at the session tomorrow.

Tams Bixby Worse.

KANSAS CITY, Mo., Jan. 16.—Tams Bixby, publisher of the Mustang Phoenix, who is confined in a local hospital, had a very restless night, according to a statement by his physician this morning. "His condition is not as satisfactory as it was yesterday," the doctor said.

SIX PACKERS ANNOUNCE CALLING OFF STRIKES

(By the Associated Press)
NEW YORK, Jan. 14.—Calling off of the strikes against six legal meat packing firms, allied with the big western packing companies, was announced today by Pendleton Dudley, of meat packers, who said he had received a communication announcing the calling off of the strike from John Kennedy, president of the American meat cutters and butcher workmen's union of North America.

FIVE ALLEGED BANDITS INDICTED AT OKMULGEE

(By the Associated Press)
OKMULGEE, Jan. 16.—Four separate indictments were returned by the grand jury today against Ed Lansing, Frank Hadley and three other alleged bandits who participated in a gun battle with police January 8. The indictment against the three men who escaped were returned in the names of John Doe and Richard Row.

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Farmers' Column

By Byron Norrell

Home Orchards

By D. C. MOORING
Extension Horticulturist A. and M. College

As stated in a previous article, Oklahoma has only 50 percent as many fruit trees as ten years ago. The value of a properly cared for home orchard can hardly be overestimated. Frequently the only value attached to a home orchard is fruit harvested. No doubt this is very important but would not be the only factor to be considered.

In the chicken lot, fruit trees will make good shade, as well as around other parts of the premises. A home with lots of nice trees around it looks much more inviting.

The educational value of a home orchard is worth consideration. The setting out and caring for the trees is instructional and again learning the variety characteristics of the different kinds of fruits is valuable. Many people simply know that a plum is a plum and a peach is a peach and do not have the least idea of what the variety is.

It is a recognized fact that fruit is healthful. In case of the more perishable fruits, a much fresher supply can be obtained from the home orchard. Where the fruit is raised at home it will be eaten more often and in greater quantities. The small market, for instance, seldom offers peaches for sale except during the Elberta season. A properly selected list of varieties of peaches where space is available and favorable season would furnish peaches from June to October.

The scarcity and high prices of fruit should certainly stimulate the planting of home orchards.

The surplus fruit can be dried, canned and sold. Good fruit usually commands a good price. Frequently in towns where the trees are more or less protected by the houses, these trees will bar more fruit, where the commercial orchards fail. This is when the fruit is appreciated and when the surplus sells for a good price.

There is no excuse for a country home not having a year around supply of fresh or canned fruit, especially in a fruit year.

Some of our town friends who are garden enthusiasts may think they have not sufficient room for trees. A mistake that many of us frequently make to try to garden too large an area. A small well planned and well kept garden will give better results and be much more slightly than a large poorly kept garden.

Fruit trees may be planted around the sides of the home and even in a portion of the garden. The same cultivation given the garden will answer for the cultivation of the trees. Vegetables and small fruits may be grown in between the trees for several years.

Renew Stallion License.

Since the breeding season is near at hand, stallion and jack owners should obtain their 1922 licenses immediately. If application is sent in at this time, it will be possible to issue the licenses promptly but if it is delayed until March 1, there is bound to be considerable delay on account of the fact that so many applications will be coming in at that time. Application blanks have been mailed to owners of stallions and jacks licensed in 1921. New owners can secure application blanks by addressing the Oklahoma State Livestock Registry Board, Stillwater, Oklahoma.

Following is the weekly bulletin from the state board of agriculture: General rains during the past week materially improved the outlook for wheat. Enid reported 1.10 inches of rain; Kingfisher, 1.14; Newkirk, .95; and Geary, 1.02 inches. Reports from these points indicate that considerable moisture fell over the heaviest wheat producing sections and will no doubt raise the low conditions figure reported to this office on the 20th of December. This is the first moisture of any consequence that has fallen in the principal wheat producing counties since September of 1921.

It is very unlikely that any large amount of acreage will yet be sown to wheat at this late date.

From reliable sources of information it is estimated that \$1,800,000 has been placed in Oklahoma by banks who have taken advantage of the offerings of the war finance corporation for loans for agricultural and livestock purposes.

Reports received at this office show that from December 29th to 31st, the war finance corporation approved \$9,359,000; on January 3rd and 4th, \$2,671,000 and from January 5th to 7th, \$5,204,000. A total of \$18,234,000 on the above mentioned dates. Of this amount only \$229,000 was placed in Oklahoma. It does not look as though Oklahoma was getting her share of this money.

Revised government figures for 1919 and 1920 and preliminary estimates for 1921 show that Oklahoma's wheat crop has been considerably under-estimated during the past three years.

Previous estimates indicated that Oklahoma produced a total of 137,000,000 bushels of wheat during the past three years, but the revised figures show that the state really produced a total of 167,000,000 bushels. In other words the crop was under-estimated approximately 30,000,000 bushels during the past three years.

The total value of all crops is estimated at approximately \$176,000,000 for 1921, compared with \$312,000,000 in 1920 and \$605,000,000 in 1919.

From the clippings taken from the various papers over the state, it seems that this could be called poultry week. Poultry shows have been held over the entire state and some excellent stock has been on display.

S. H. Henthorn Makes Good Record With Cows. This is the heading of a clipping taken from the

Cheyenne Star of recent date. On November 26, 1919, Mr. Henthorn purchased seven head of cows at a sale for \$391. On November 26, 1921, he had sold cream products amounting to \$540, \$160 worth of calves, and had remaining five heifer calves and the original seven cows—in addition to supplying a family of six with all their butter and milk during that time. "Just another sideline."

The state board of agriculture wishes to announce that they have procured through Senator Owen a large quantity of Garden Seed that will be mailed to anyone in the state upon request for same.

J. A. WHITEHURST,
President, State Board of Agriculture.

As will be noted in the weekly bulletin below any one wishing a supply of government garden seed can get them free by dropping a card to the state Board of Agriculture, Oklahoma City. With free seed there is no reason why any one with a plot of ground should not raise a garden this year.

When I began to mention gardens in this column a few days ago my wife at once began to map out plans for me to put some of my talk into practice. She rustled a sharp shooter spade and has been insisting that I get busy. After spading industriously for half an hour I insisted that I had developed a very bad crick in my back which made further progress impossible. Somehow she refuses to take much stock in that sort of talk and still insists that I show the folks what gardening is really like.

Mrs. Duvall reports the organization of clubs at Union Hill and Pickett last week. She also visited several old clubs and helped them to start off on another year's work. Mr. Hill is also lining up the boys' clubs and expects another successful year with them.

Pr. F. B. A. Pratt of Stillwater was in Ada Saturday en route from Atoka where he attended a meeting of teachers and endeavored to impress on them the importance of pushing the organization of boys' and girls' clubs. Prof. Pratt did some effective work in Pontotoc county in co-operating with the demonstrators and in his broader sphere with the entire state as his field he bids fair to make his mark as an organizer.

Lute Douge, J. F. Weldon and C. S. Aldrich made some records with their chickens at the Holdenville show last week. They are putting Pontotoc county on the map in the poultry world. It always speaks well for any community around whether chickens or other livestock. It may be that others from this county won honors at Holdenville, but have not been informed of it if such is the case.

Lions and tigers in captivity require one day a week without food to keep them in good health.

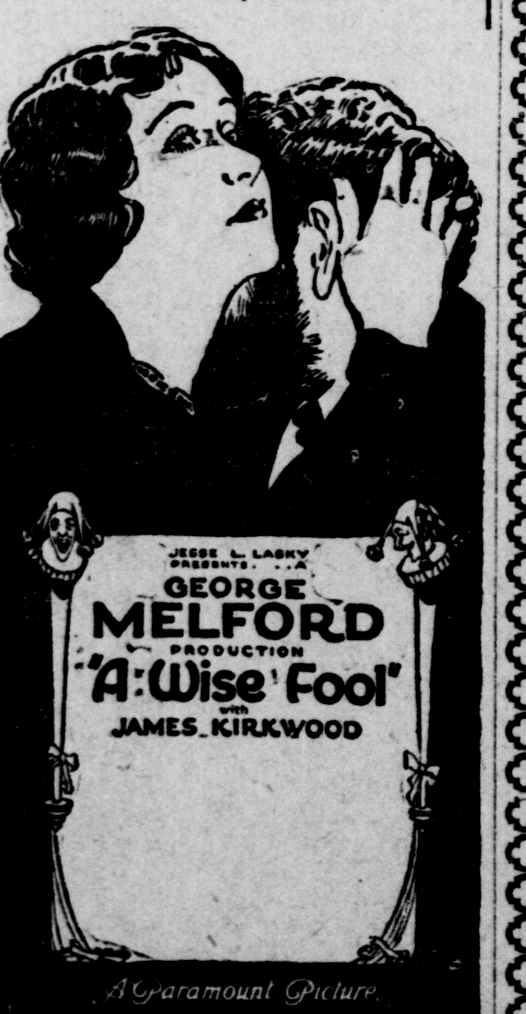
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Mr. Wilson said in an address at Swarthmore college:

"Do you covet distinction? You will never get it by serving yourself. Do you covet honor? You will get it only as a servant of mankind."

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